By BRIGGS

The grand maxim nowadays is: To work,

UNCLE SAM'S MOVES ARE QUIET BUT SWIFT AND WIDE OF SCOPE

Vast Undercurrent Running in Nation's Business and Army Life but Faintly Realized by Average Citizen; Troops Are Moving on to France

By RILEY H. ALLEN.

EW YORK, N. Y., Sept. 28.-Two recent articles by Lord Northcliffe, the great English publisher and now a British war representative in the United States, have summed up perhaps more forcefully than any others the extent to which Uncle Sam is actually getting into the war.

These articles expressed in some detail exactly the situation to which referred in a letter to the Star-Bulletin some weeks ago, after my arrival in New York-that while Uncle Sam's efforts seem somewhat haphazard and unrelated, there is tremendous movement under way which accomplishes results with a speed altogether unexpected.

Each in itself seemed unwieldy. slow, possibly scant in effect. But somehow, after considerable creaking tremendous lane of colors, with the of government machinery, these red sun of Japan glowing everywhere moves got results, and it is now apparent that the results have come with a speed and momentum entirely unexpected by the majority of Amer- hour in the darkness just outside the

Right now we are much further into the war than most Americans rea-

Troops Move Steadily

In New York there are evidences at every side. The steady movement of troops is a matter of wonder - and would be much more wonderful were the true extent of it known. I see in the daily papers and in official anhouncements certain guarded hints which seem to mean that there are a great many more American soldiers actually in France than is generally thought to be the case. Meanwhile the preparations to send more never

Every day almost in New York is a parade day of some sort. Regiments of poung men are going out to camps -enlisted and drafted. The thing most generally commented on here is that the draft forces are going with a willingness and a determination which is not excelled by the volunteers. Of

t every entertainment of every kind, mouths shut," expressions of patriotic sentiment, but without delay. not at all in a spirit of boosting. It is | Secret Service Large the rather characteristic American The extent of the U. S. secret ser-similar nature will be held in Kansas keyne of this campaign and the visway of letting off excess spirits and vice must be large, though the idea City, Missouri, on October 25, under it tolawaii will be kept well to the

ready songs. Guardsmen to France march through streets invariably questionable that they are furnishing aglow with colors. With companies, data, where night and day, New York has referred to, declare that Uncle Sam is taken on a very martial air. This week | building up a war machine unequalled it has been particularly martial be- in the world's history. He says that cause of the presence of the Japanese from the taid British point of view the through Honolulu. New York was de- that no progress seems to be made

seldom sees. Fifth avenue was one

through its white field.

Coming over from Philadelphia last night, my train was held up for an Quaker City. We could not learn exactly the season, but were told it had something to do with a train directly thead. That troop train seemed to be in almost entire darkness. It was going-somewhere; filled with troops, ready for some sort of action, but where or what one could not learn. This is just an illustration of our war preparations.

Another illustration came this week in the widespread raids by the department of justice on alien enemies and suspected traitors. Many of these are known German sympathizers and supposedly guilty of more beinous acts. than expression of sympathy. Others are I. W. W. conspirators who have been fighting the draft and otherwise causing trouble. Hundreds were arrested in a series of raids one night and jails were filled to overflowing. Pro-Germans Look Out!

Around this city and elsewhere in the East the department of justice seems to be acting with a calm, direct, smashing effectiveness which ought to course those drafted men do not really strike terror to the plotters. I gather hanker for the stern discipline and the from newspapers and from talking probable suffering of the war-front, with men who have seen the operabut now they have been drafted they tion of this drag-net that the Germans are going out with a sort of blithe re- who will not obey the letter and spirit ness which is typically Amer- of President Wilson's proclamation can. Around the camps there is are given short shrift. There is little plenty of merriment as well as plenty tolerance of traitorous acts here. . The of hard work. I have seen several of department of justice's attorneys and these camps at close range and the agents are fearless and effective. They men are never sullen, never sulking. are not afraid of hurting any plotter's They are "on the job" and going to feelings. According to the Washing-Prance with a smile and a gleam in ton despatches, it is the policy of the their eyes which bodes no good to the government to watch the alien enemies and the professional hyphenates Because these American soldiers closely, to get the names of large ake their war duty so good-humored- groups of them, and then to make other races of our Allies have been wholesale raids. The raids this week ther drawing the conclusion that the in New York drove to the authorities Vankees are a bunch of braggarts. I crowd of allen hyphenates who have think that the popular songs of the been too busy heretofore to observe the orders given when we went to have such titles as "We're Going to Can war. Now they are realizing that he Kaiser," "Berlin or Bust," etc. Uncle Sam means business and that at every theater performance, every if they want to keep out of jail they noving picture and vaudeville show; must "obey the law and keep their

brimming vitality-and often of con- has prevailed-and perhaps with the the auspices of the Kensas City cham- fore, is promised. It is now planned cealing a much more sober, even ten- willingness of Washington-that our ber. der sentiment underneath. Readers of secret service force is small and in- Then will follow other patriotic the turn on December 9. American history know that our men adequate. But the revelations of Ger awakening meetings at Leavenworth, awakening meeting meetin Mexico and elsewhere uncovered by auspices of Congressman Dan An- in this pring of 1915, this is to be Three regiments of New York na- the wholesale arrests in the United last congressional party; at Denver, ed the congressmen have been estional guardsmen are getting under States, shows that our secret service efternoon and evening of the 27th, pecia sought who are sure of being way for France today and tomorrow. is doing a remarkable work. Very chamber of commerce auspices; at memrs of the next house and sen-The regiments have been taking pre- largely this is the result, it appears, Colorado Springs, morning of 28th, ate if will thus be legislating for liminary training at camps close to the of our volunteer agencies, of which city—the 14th at Sheepshead Bay; the there are innumerable organizations— 23rd at Van Cortlandt park, and the defense leagues, protective associa- in the world, night of 28th; at Sait paid land matters and an effort is 71st at the same place. All are get- tions and the like, They are mostly ting away to Spartansburg for their civilian organizations, made up of period of more intensive training, and tested, intelligent, wideawake Amerthen they will be sent to France. They ican men and women, and it is un-

which recently passed process is sometimes bewildering: rated with a lavishness such as one for months at a time, and then that

Over There



Across-Continent Trip of Solons Flor to Sailing for Hawaii Editor Riley Allen Found He have been living "unbeknownst" to Will Be in the Nature of an "America First" Tour to Was Living in Same Block teristic of New York. Arouse United Support in the War -

By RILEY HALLEN.

DURT SAYS HE IS.

[By Associated Press]

adminisor, and set about establish-

"Are not ashamed to use pois-

JUDGE TAFT RULES

ASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 5 .- Preparatns are almost complete for the Hawatian congressional trip next meth, and the personnel of the party is fairly definite.

The trip will have a double purpo se-tit of acquainting some forty congressmen with Hawaii and Hawaii's nels; and that of swinging through several thousand miles of the gre West with the gospel of patriotic duty in our new war.

The congressmen will assemble in these songs are sung, and naturally a lt appears, too, that they are not all a body at St. Louis on October 24, at lally and on the morning of October areat many have already gotten to lowed all kinds of liberty after they are be the first of a series of patriotic liberty and there, through Senator camps delight in these exaggerated hurrfed away to internment camps meetings, under the auspices of Jame D. Phelan, will be held the last the chamber of commerce, the night of th series of meetings. of the 24th, and a great meeting of a "Aprica First" doctrine will be the

> Uncle Sam's agents, now backed up by thony, who visited Hawaii with the stric a "stag" affair. It is explainchamber of commerce a spices; at Haw for some years to come. It is Leadville, Colorado, the highest city bopethat special attention will be Lake, afternoon and evening of the beinmade to get as many land com-29th, where the governor and city of mittemembers as possible on the ficials will entertain the party offic- trip.

suddenly one awakes to the realiza- | MANS DEAD WHEN crowded with applauding crowds and the government with much valuable tion that a huge piece of work of some kind has been finished. The speed regiments and battalions going some- Lord Northcliffe's articles, already with which the permanent cantonments were built amazed the great Britisher, accustomed as he is to war preparations. He summed up his observations this way:

"The American characteristics in "The American characteristics in ruled it when the Supreme Court of war seems to me to be two: firstly, Califon says a man is dead, he is what looks like undue deliberations, and then, before you are ready for it, like a bolt from the blue, a smashing death. Califob says a man is dead, he is hurrying through a crowded railroad station at Buffalo, on our way to Niatrary lot admissable to disprove his gara Falls, we collided with Professor

Northcliffe pointed out that while we have been in the war less than six months, Uncle Sam has about a Thomavilcox, who died a few months Forty-first street, crowded with about million and a half soldiers undergoing intensive training,

mammoth shipments of relief supplies widow rried Mr. Wilcox. are going forward. Uncle Sam is raising not only the greatest army in this nation's history, but it is to be the the world ever saw. It will have bet. ed the bequent marriages. best-equipped and best-cared for army

And no one who sees this new army in the making can doubt that in the cured affidavit from Broberg, now business of fighting it will live up to in Canathat he is not dead. the best American traditions.

WAS MAVERICK LOST?

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 11 .- The days from Manila for an Atlantic port and that affidavit to the contrary and shipping men are speculating as could nee received in evidence. to her whereabouts. The steamer left Manila about the same time as the transport Thomas and the schooner oned arr Irmgard. Both the Thomas and the "I'm d Irmgard had to put into Keelong, For- limited of correins soods for the Germans, Star

TO LOOK INTOLAND MATTERS WITHOUT MEETING HONOLULU PEOPL

With Two Local Families

By RILEY H. ALLEN.

NEW YORK, N. Y., Sept. 29 .- Honolulans and former Honolulans are mot by the travelers everywhere. Around New York we often chance on friends and acquaintances. Here are a few of

Walking down Broadway one day l met Walter Dovle and D. William Douthitt arm in arm, strolling up that street, which at night is the Great White Way. Both are in the theatrical business here and both making good Doyle is with Jess Woods in the amusement business around Cleveland and Detroit for the summer, but in the winter their show closes. He came to New York at the request of Allen Doone, the noted Irish actor and singer, to become business manager of "Lucky O'Shea," a beautiful Irish romantic drama with which Doone is making his bow to Broadway audiences. It is playing at the Thirtyninth street theater. We went one night and after the show met Mr. Doone and Miss Edna Keeley, his leading woman. Both of them, of course, are well known in Honolulu and have many friends there. Were there a theater in Honolulu worthy of the ed to develop rapidly after the war. name they would probably come over this winter, after their states tour.

Walter Doyle is managing this show Will Douthitt is stage manager of ton theater.

Another day on Broadway I met L S. Conness, former Honolulu and Hilo newspaper man, later a resident of Washington, D. C. Conness is in the newspaper game here, looks well and LOSINGELES, Cal.-Judge Fred happy, and wants to be remembered H. Tar the Superior Court here has to friends in Hawaii.

Mhile Mrs. Allen and myself were and Mrs. W. A. Bryan, going in the op-The ling, said by lawyers to be posite directions. They came to New unique as made here in connection York later for a few days.

with disettlement of the estate of This afternoon at Fifth avenue and ago. lording to the evidence, the a million people, we met Mrs. A. A. widow's thrice married. Her first Ebersole and the two stalwart young Keeping pace with all of this mar- husbanwas Albert Broberg, whom sons, Leon and Raymond. They were tial planning, is the relief work. In she wen 1897, and who disappeared waiting there for Rev. Mr. Ebersole, fact, around New York this is much soon thafter. Later, she married a who joined them a few moments later. more prominent than the preparation Dr. Lelin, who subsequently brought As is known in Hawaii, he is back of soldiers. You can hardly walk a an annient action, claiming he had from his splendid war work in the Eublock on any street of this great city learned oberg was alive. While the ropean prison camps and is now with without some appeal for some sort of case win the Supreme Court on the Overseas department of the Interwar relief reaching you. At the docks appeal Lehman died. Later, the national Y. M. C. A. committee, on East Twenty-eighth street. They are Thene Supreme Court held the living in Montclair, New Jersey, where fact theroberg was alive had not the boys are going to school. The been estished. That ruling validat. many friends of the Ebersoles will be glad to hear that Leon, who was ill for ter food, more comforts, more relief son by ormer marriage was made strength. They asked the ing the hts of the heirs. He pro-

In the New York office of Alexander & Baldwin, 82 Wall street, I met How-Whene final account was pre- College of Hawaii, associated with ard M. Ballou, former professor at the sented, affidavit was offered to the "Facts About Sugar," published week court. I came the ruling that the ly by the Domestic Sugar Producers. Suprement decision controlled the Inc. Mr. Ballou, I found, lives only a steamship Mayerick is out fifty-six court, thereberg was legally dead, block from us in the Columbia University district. His elder daughter, Miss Florence, is attending Columbia Uni versity this year; the younger, Miss Charlotte, is attending a girls' private school in the city. We also learned the best I can in my the same afternoon that Mr. and Mrs. whimpered the savage. Spencer Bowen, son and daughter-inmosa, on account of being damaged in "Of compoisoned arrows only get law of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bowen, are a typhoon. The Maverick was intern- 'em one time. But we lack the residing at 118th street. We are on ed for some months at Batavia as she mechanicacilities for wholesale op- 119th and the Ballous on 120th, all in had been suspected a number of times erations in U-boats." Washington corresponding by iks, so that within two blocks three solplu contingents

each other-a situation quite charac-

Coming downtown on an elevated train one afternoon from a baseball game at the Polo grounds, I met Walter Spalding of the Honolulu firm of contractors .He was in New York for in; them. Let us do it in a more saua brief business trip.

Sprinting early one morning for a Hudson "tube" on my way over to New Jersey, I passed a young chap going the other way, whirled around and recognized Lai Tin, the crack Chinese third baseman and member of many winning teams in Hawaii and on the All-Chinese tours. Lai Tin lives in Philadelphia. When I went to that city later I expected to see him but he had gone to New York. I did, however, the father of the college student, meet Vernon Ayau, the Chinese shortstop, Denny Markham, catcher, and M. Yamashiro, outfielder, all well known in the islands.

Charles A. Stanton, the real estate man, who "put Palolo valley on the map" and was largely concerned in the development of Kaimuki, is living in New York, and we saw him the other night at the theater. Stanton has been here for a year. His New York office is at No. 6 Wall street. He is "Well," remarked the lady, "I thought busy promoting the American Appraisement association, a project that he declares is bound to be of nation wide importance and which is expect-One morning on Fourth avenue

met a buyer for a Honolulu firm who told me that he had met several Honolulans during the past week. Every Branded," a drama playing at the Ful- day I meet one or two, besides a great many people who have been in Hawaii, and, of course, are anxius to go back. Mr. and Mrs. George Gilmer, who visited the islands last winter, are Record.

MAINLANDER IS

C. D. Pringle Has No More Chance of Landing Job Than He Has of Succeeding Gov. Pinkham, Says Riley H. Allen

By RILEY H. ALLEN WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 5,-1 carned on absolutely reliable authority yesterday that the treasury department has in mind now the appointment of a mainlander to succeed the late John F. Haley as collector of internal revenue for the district of

I am told also by various informed persons that the selection has not yet been made. It is no secret that this is to be a political plum, and Hawaii knows how many island appointments in the category of political plums have gone to mainlanders under the present administration.

C. D. Pringle, well-known Democrat of Honolulu, is in Washington now, and it is declared that he is an active candidate for the revenue job. Pringle himself says that he is here just in the hourse of a vacation around Delegate Kuhio's office the House office building he has been gently joked about both the collectorship and the governorship—a joking which he takes good naturedly. I am definitely informed that he has no more chance for the revenue office than of succeeding Governor Pinkham when the latter's term expires.

The revenue appointment ought to be forthcoming shortly. That the appointee will be from a state whose politics are of concern to the administration is an obvious conclusion.

RUTHLESS ENGLISH

Notice on door of residence: Please knock the bell out of order," Sign in a Chicago drug store: Save your coupons and get an art plague free."

Ralph Connor: "I who have never set foot outside my native shoes." was a queer girl, and so, for that

matter, was her father." A western bank announces: "We make the interest of our depositors our interest." Newspaper on deceased financier:

"He is reputed to have made six million dollars in as many years." Card of cleaning company: "Don't

take the life out of your rugs by beatitary way." Placard at a moving picture show:

Young children must have parents." In a barber shop window: "During alterations, patrons will be shaved in History professor: "Why are the

Middle Ages called the Dark Ages?" Freshman: "Because there were so many knights." "I am delighted to meet you," said

shaking hands warmly with the professor. "My son took algebra from you last year, you know." "Parder me," said the professor, "he was posed to it, but he did not take it.' As a steamer was leaving the harbor of Athens, a lady approached the captain, and, pointing to the distant hills, inquired: "What is that white stuff on the hills, captain?" ."That is snow, madam," replied the captain.

planning another tour this winter. Mrs. Gilmer is the famous "Dorothy Dix," whose articles are appearing thrice weekly in the Star-Bulletin. She was captivated by Honolulu, as was Mr. Gilmer, and the islands have no more ardent "boosters" than these two.

so myself, but a gentleman has just

told me it was Greece."

He-I've decided to enlist, She-When did you flunk out? -

PROCLAMATION

In pursuance of the authority vested in me by Chapter Sixteen, Revised Laws, Territory of Hawaii, 1915, and the request of the President of the United States and the Secretary of the Treasury, who are responsible for the financing of the Great War, I set aside the latter half of the Twenty-fourth Day of October, Ninteteen Hundred and Seventeen as a half holiday, to be devoted to the purposes of seguring subscriptions to the Second Liberty Loan as indicated by the words made a part hereof.

PROCLAMATION BY THE PRESIDENT

This Liberty Loan gives the people of our Country their opportunity to sustain the Government and its might and power which has been mobilized for the conduct of the great war upon which we are now embarked. Through it the whole Country joins in the mobilization and is able to strike a mortal blow against Prussian autocracy and in defense of our outraged American rights, our own liberty and the liberty of the world.

Every subscriber to these Liberty Bonds, whether he or she takes only one Bond or takes more, lends the weight no that contribution, the weight of that support to the force behind to a vital blow. He or she puts that amount to the patriotic service of the Country. October 24 is hereby designated and appointed Liberty Day. On that day let all the people of every community of the Country asmole and pledge the fullest financial support within their ability to the cause. Let there be patriotic meetings held everywhere.

Let us make the result of this campaign for the Second Liberty Loan Bond Issue so impressive and so emphatic that it will echo to and in the enemy empire and be clear to all the world as an index of the intentions of America.

On that day all Federal offices will be closed at noon and all Federal employes shall be free from all duties other than the patriotic observance of the day.

WOODROW WILSON.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the Territory of Hawaii to be affixed.

DONE at the Capitol in Honolulu, this 17th day of October, A. D. 1917.

(Sgd.) LUCIUS E. PINKHAM. Governor of Hawaii.

By the Governor: (Sgd.) CURTIS P. IAUKEA. Secretary of Hawaii.

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